PATENT APPLICATION

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re application of Stefan GRAU, et al.

Examiner: Aaron AUSTIN

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For: COMPOSITE MATERIAL CONSISTING OF INTERMETALLIC PHASES AND

CERAMICS AND PRODUCTION METHOD FOR SAID MATERIAL

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AMENDMENT A

Attn: Mail Stop Amendment Commissioner for Patents P. O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

Responsive to the Office action dated September 22, 2008, the period for response extended to January 22, 2009 by a Petition for One Month Extension and payment of fee filed herewith, Applicants submit herewith the following amendments and remarks

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims, which begins on page 2 of this paper.

Remarks/Arguments begin on page 7 of this paper.